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WEEK PROMISES TO BE VERY EXCITING

AT THE NATIONAL SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

Next Week Being the Last in the Present Session of Congress Practically Everything Will Be Brushed Aside for the Appropriation Bills.

Washington, Feb. 25.—[Special]—The next week in congress, being the last one of the present session, practically everything will have to be brushed aside for the appropriation bill, except the army bill. The prevailing opinion is that the measure will be adopted in the house in substantially the same form in which the senate passed it. The week promises to be very exciting.

Washington, Feb. 25.—[Special]—The war department has decided not to send any more troops to Manila unless exigencies in the future render such action absolutely necessary.

Washington, Feb. 25.—[Special]—An advisory board has been appointed to make a study of the possibilities for the manufacturers and enterprises of every character in Cuba and Porto Rico, and will sail from New York next Wednesday. The board will be gone about eight weeks.

Washington, Feb. 25.—[Special]—The house resumed consideration of the military appropriation bill this morning.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Just before the senate adjourned Friday Senator Hawley, chairman of the military affairs committee, reported the compromise army bill that is the result of the conferences of the last three days between the republican and democratic senators and the war department officials.

The desire for the passage of the bill is so general that there is no reason to anticipate serious difficulty in bringing it to a vote. Some minor amendments may be made in the senate, and in the house Mr. Hull may offer some, but the bill will be sent to a conference committee as speedily as possible.

The agreement on the bill has ended all talk of an extra session, and there is little likelihood now that one will be called.

The bill increases the strength of the regular army from 62,000 to 65,000 by the addition of two batteries to each regiment of heavy artillery for coast-defense purposes. In addition to this force of 65,000 men, the president is authorized to raise 35,000 volunteer infantry, to be recruited as he may determine from the country at large or from the localities where their services are needed. This force is to form thirty regiments, and is to continue in service only during the necessity thereof and not later than July 1, 1901. The terms of enlistment are fixed at two years and four months, unless sooner discharged.

As soon as possible after the passage of this act the officers and enlisted men of the volunteers not hereinafter authorized to be mustered out, but enlisted men may be transferred to regiments below full strength.

ABUSES THE PRESIDENT.

Congressman Johnson Bitterly Assails McKinley.

Washington, Feb. 25.—During the general debate on the army appropriation bill in the house Friday Mr. Johnson (rep., Ind.), who made several notable speeches violently attacking the policy of the administration during the consideration of the army reorganization bill a fortnight ago, returned to the assault and delivered against the president and some of his advisers the most scathing philippine heard in the house for months.

He sneered at the president and the influence which he alleged controlled him, impugned his motives, questioned his sincerity, and likened him to Pecksniff, one of Dickens' most contemptible characters. He charged the secretary of war with incompetency and predicted that the president would in the end be engulfed by adverse public sentiment.

Mr. Landis, one of his republican colleagues from Indiana, briefly stated to the house that Mr. Johnson's constituents had repudiated him, and the two members had a wordy duel. Later in the day Mr. Marsh (rep., Ill.) replied to some of Mr. Johnson's strictures, but the republican leaders, as a whole, decided to ignore the attacks of the Indianian, and no general reply was made to his speech.

The army appropriation bill was lost sight of in the general discussion relative to the Philippines, and several notable speeches were made, particularly that of Mr. Settle (dem., Ky.). The general debate on the bill was closed, and tomorrow the bill will be taken up for amendment under the five-minute rule.

FAVOR THE CANAL.

Nicaragua Measure Is Made a Rider by the Senate.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Legislation for the construction of the Nicaragua canal now seems assured. The senate Friday by a vote of 50 to 3—Messrs. Pettigrew, Rawlins and Teller—passed the river and harbor appropriation bill, with the canal bill as an amendment. Other senate amendments, to the

bill were adopted practically without change, and the measure now goes to conference. The conference on the part of the house, under the lead of Representative Burton of Ohio, will try to have the bill restored as nearly as possible in the shape in which it passed the house.

During the afternoon Mr. Sewell of New Jersey delivered a speech in support of the Hull-Hawley army reorganization bill, in the course of which he declared that the United States was now as much at war in the Philippines as it was with Spain when our army was before Santiago. He expressed the belief that it would require an army of 50,000 men to control the Filipinos, and that we were likely yet to have serious trouble in Cuba.

JUDGMENT FAVORS CREAMERY COMPANY

FARMERS SUED FOR FIRE INSURANCE.

Judge Bennett Found That the Grangers Did Not Do As They Agreed—Case Brought Here From Iowa and Was Bitterly Contested On Both Sides.

The Steamboat Rock Creamery company, of Steamboat Rock, Iowa, has just been rewarded a judgment by Judge John R. Bennett, of the circuit court of Rock county, against Gray, Peterson & company.

The amount of judgment was for \$522 and costs.

The defendants who reside in and near Brooklyn, Wis., closed a deal with the plaintiffs, for the rental of a creamery located at Steamboat Rock, Iowa, which for some time had been successfully conducted by the Steamboat Rock Creamery company.

According to the plaintiffs, the defendants were to take charge of the creamery and operate it and in return were to have the rental free, providing that they annually paid the taxes and kept up a \$400 fire insurance policy on the building.

According to the plaintiffs, the defendants in writing, agreed to this.

On the evening of Jan. 16, 1895, the building accidentally caught fire and burned, together with its contents.

When it came time to settle the insurance, the owners of the building were much surprised to find that no fire insurance covered their loss. They then called the Wisconsin men to time for an explanation.

They failed to explain in a satisfactory way and a suit was brought for the collection of \$400, the amount of the insurance.

When the case was called before Judge Bennett, the defendants gave evidence to the effect that the building caught fire from a defective chimney. Several witnesses from Iowa were brought here to testify.

The plaintiffs showed that they had suffered much by the fire, and also showed in court the contract they had with the defendants in reference to keeping up the insurance.

The firm of Gray, Peterson & Co. is composed of Daniel Wackman, O. C. Gray, Julius Peterson and Willis Gray, all being prominent farmers residing near the Rock and Dane county line near Brooklyn.

Charles E. Pierce, of the law firm of Smith & Pierce, ably conducted the proceedings in behalf of the plaintiffs, while Richmond & Smith, of Madison, represented the defendants.

FORECAST OF WEATHER

Chicago, Feb. 25.—[Special]—Forecast for Wisconsin:

Rain tonight, and Sunday probably snow.

EAGAN MAKES DENIALS.

Commissary-General Says He Knew of No Embalmed Beef.

Washington, Feb. 25.—After a session of little more than two hours the court of inquiry investigating the beef charges adjourned until Monday, pending the arrival of witnesses who have been summoned.

Former Commissary-General Eagan concluded his testimony. He vigorously denied any knowledge of any chemical treatment of beef to preserve it, and disavowed any connection whatever of the government with any such treatment. He further defended the canned roast beef, explaining why it had been sent to the troops, and when Col. Davis, the recorder, asked him if any food had been used as an experiment or pretense of experiment, suggesting Gen. Miles' famous allegation that precipitated the Eagan court-martial, Gen. Eagan replied sweepingly in the negative.

PHOTOGRAPHERS' MEETING

Messrs. Wise and Barlow, of This City, Will Attend

George W. Wise and Richard H. Barlow, of this city, will attend the convention of the Photographers' Association of Wisconsin in the Art gallery of the Exposition building at Milwaukee March 7, 8 and 9.

The event promises to be of special interest, as an unusually good program is in store. A beautiful souvenir program has been issued and in it is a sample of portrait work by Mr. Wise.

SCATTERING SHOTS CONTINUE TO FALL

FOUR AMERICANS WOUNDED LAST NIGHT.

Under Writers Refuse to Pay Losses By Recent Fires, claiming Exemption By Reason of War Clause in Policies—Arrest of Twelve Hundred Suspects.

Manila, Feb. 25.—[Special]—Scattering shots continue to fall along the American line. Four Americans were wounded in the fighting last night in front of Calococan. One soldier was wounded in San Pedro. The underwriters refuse to pay the losses by the recent fires, claiming exemption by reason of a war clause in policies. The arrest of twelve hundred suspects since the fires were started and the extreme vigilance of the police is believed to have averted any further incendiarism at present.

Washington, Feb. 25.—[Special]—Admiral Dewey cables that the gunboat Petrel has started for Cebu. On her arrival there she will take possession of the place in the name of the United States. It is expected that Gen. Miller will send a detachment of troops from Iloilo to be landed at Cebu.

Washington, Feb. 25.—[Special]—The navy officials believe that with the addition of the Oregon, Admiral Dewey will have a fleet at his command, strong enough to properly defend the American interests in the far east. He now has the monitors Monterey and Monadnock, the cruisers Olympia, Charleston, Boston, Baltimore, Buffalo, and the gunboats Bennington, Concord, Petrel, Helena, and three former Spanish gunboats; the colliers Brutus, Nanahon, Zafre and the gunboats Princeton, Casting, Yosemite, the colliers Solace, Colic, Iris and the battleship Oregon now enroute.

Manila, Feb. 25.—[Special]—The military police are raiding suspected houses in the native quarters. Twenty to thirty prisoners have been captured in each place so far raided.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The following dispatch has been received at the navy department:

"Manila, Feb. 24.—For political reasons the Oregon should be sent here at once." "Dewey."

This telegram from Admiral Dewey excited the greatest interest in official circles. It was a very brief message but the phraseology employed by the admiral justified the significant interpretation which was put on it by many officials. It was read at the cabinet meeting and discussed at some length, and while the cabinet officers do not disclose the details of the discussion, those who were seen expressed the positive conviction that the "political reasons" to which Dewey refers did not concern any foreign interference, but that the term was used as a synonym of "moral effect" in connection with the Filipino uprising.

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HARDWARE GOES UP A NOTCH OR TWO

PRICES ARE ADVANCED QUITE MATERIALLY.

Retailers Get Notice From Wholesalers and All Lines Are Ejected—Brass and Copper Goods are the Highest Trusts and Combinations Are Responsible.

A considerable increase in the prices of all hardware has been made. The retail hardware men, in every city and town in the country, have been receiving circulars lately from the wholesale men and manufacturers announcing a ten per cent. raise in the price of all commodities, except a very few, on their price lists. The reasons given in every case were the increase in price of raw materials and the movement originated with the manufacturers almost spontaneously although in some cases it was due to a combination in a certain line of goods.

The margin of profit has been so small in the wholesale trade and manufacture of hardware for some time that when the general demand for the wares set in due to the universal prosperity in all lines of business, there was almost by necessity a sharp advance in the hardware goods, and manufacturers and dealers are hailing it with manifest satisfaction.

It was needed to restore trade on a basis equal to that enjoyed by other lines of business since the good times returned and there will be few who will grudge the hardware men their better fortune.

Brass and Copper Goods

The rise has been especially noticeable in brass and copper goods and in these was in great part due to speculation. The sharp advance in wire nails was instance of a combination getting in its work, as the rodding mills of this country have been consolidated and practically control the trade. Wire nails have gone up from \$1.40 to \$1.80 a kg since the first of January, and the local hardware men say that the enormous orders coming in for the spring trade presage a business in hardware lines that has not been witnessed for years. In all other lines the increase is due to the natural reaction from depressed condition of business. One firm says its business will be 50 per cent larger than that of last year, and is laying in a stock, even at the advanced prices, that shows how fully is the confidence of the trade in the business prospects of 1899.

FOUR WERE DROWNED

Seneca Arrived at New York With a Portion of Barbara Luigi's Crew.

New York, Feb. 25.—[Special]—The steamer Seneca arrived here today with a portion of the crew of the Barbara Luigi, which was wrecked off the Bahamas. Four of her crew were drowned.

PROPOSED NEW STRUCTURE

Contractor Blair Is Thinking of Building on His Property.

William H. Blair, the well known contractor, has had plans drawn for the erection of a modern two-story building to adjoin the Y. M. C. A. building on the west. Whether or not Mr. Blair will have these plans carried out is a matter that he has not yet definitely decided on. The plans call for a brick building, the upper floor to be made into apartments for sleeping purposes his idea being to rent this part of the building to the Y. M. C. A., who would in turn sub-let the apartments to roomers. The first floor is designed to be used as a restaurant, which may also be under Y. M. C. A. management.

CARROLL CASE IS ARGUED

C. W. Felker Talked For Plaintiff And Charles Quarles For Defendant.

The case of Carroll versus Féther et al. was argued in the supreme court yesterday. C. W. Felker, of Felker, Doe & Felker, appeared for the plaintiff, while Charles Quarles represented the defendant firm.

Other cases argued were:

Miller vs. city of Ashland—Appeal dismissed by stipulation.

Hunt vs. State—Record returned to court below for correction.

State, ex-rel., Barber, appellant, vs. McBain, respondent—Argued by C. T. Bundy for appellant. H. L. Bueler for respondent.

STREET CARS NEED REPAIRING

Line Will In All Probability Resume Operation Next Monday.

The present fall of snow is not the reason why the Janesville Street Railway company are not operating the local line.

The cars are badly in need of repair, as the result of continued usage through the winter. One of the boilers is also in need of repair. At the power house, a force of men have been busily engaged during the past two days and if such a thing is possible, it is the intention to resume operations on Monday.

DIDN'T WANT MUCH.

Doting Mamma—Rodney dear, tomorrow is your birthday. What would you like best? Rodney dear (after a brief season of cogitation)—I think I'd like to see the schoolhouse burn down,

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BANQUET PROSPECTIVE BRIDES

Delightful Function This Evening For the Misses Withington.

At the Milton avenue home of Capt. and Mrs. W. T. Vankirk this evening, Joseph A. Vankirk will act as host at what promises to be a most delightful function given in honor of the Misses Marcia and Georgia Withington, whose marriage to Henry Glover Maryon, of London, England, and N. W. Church, of Toledo, Ohio, will be solemnized in this city next Tuesday afternoon.

The rooms have been beautified with a profusion of cut flowers, while several American and English flags have been displayed so as to lend a patriotic effect to the occasion.

A BETTER EXCHANGE CANNOT BE BUILT

LOCAL TELEPHONE COMPANY'S
PLANT UNEXCELED.

To Be Complete Metallic Circuit, or
Long Distance System, Which In-
sures Privacy—Investment of
\$30,000 Necessary, Which Amount
Janesville Men Have Put Up.

"What sort of a line will the Rock
County Telephone company have, and
when will it be in operation?" was
asked of Manager Clingman today.

"When the plant is finished it will be
a model one, equaling any in this or any
other state, and exceeding many. The
contract requires the work to be com-
pleted by April 20, and there is every
reason to believe it will be in operation
by that date. There is a great differ-
ence in telephone exchanges, but this
one will be the best that money can
build—the complete metallic circuit
which prevents all cross talk."

"What do you mean by 'cross talk'?"

"With most telephone systems," Mr
Clingman continued, "if you take down
the receiver, or ear 'phone, without ring-
ing or asking central for a connection,
you can hear the talk of other parties
who may be using a wire following
the same direction as your line. The
voices are usually fainter but none the
less distinct. This is called 'cross
talk'—your own conversation may thus
be heard by others, making the service
almost as public as a party line."

"Is the party line one of the systems?"

"Party Line Too Public

"Yest, but as usually installed it is too
public and annoying to be desirable."

"What other systems are in use?"

"Originally, telephone exchanges were
constructed with but one wire from the
central office to each telephone, the
earth being used for the return circuit,
that is, for twenty-five subscribers only
twenty-five wires were needed. In towns
where street railways used electricity,
the earth was abandoned, and a single
wire used as a common return, making
twenty-six wires entering the central
office for twenty-five subscribers. The
latter is the prevailing method at pres-
ent, and while doing away to large extent
with street railway interference, it still
leaves the system subject to 'cross
talk.' With party line system per-
haps twenty-five or thirty wires would
serve from seventy-five to a hundred
subscribers, whereas to serve twenty-five
subscribers by a full metallic system
fifty wires are necessary."

"Will that not make it necessary to
have a large number of wires on the
streets?"

"It would were all circuits complete
pole lines, and each wire supported sep-
arately. The Rock County Telephone
Co., however, have planned to avoid
Milwaukee and Main streets in the busi-
ness portion by laying over 4000 feet of
underground cable in which several
hundred pairs of wires are bunched. In
addition to the underground work, the
larger portion of the wires within the
fire limits will be run in aerial cables,
making comparatively few cross arms
necessary. There will be a mile or more
of such cable containing in various
lengths from 50 to 200 wires each. As
the outlying sections are reached very
large poles are set to provide for the
necessary lines and also to better clear
the trees and practically preventing all
obstructions to the fire department.
This makes a very substantial line, and
the contract under which the construc-
tion is being carried out is full and com-
plete. The contractors, Messrs. Jones
and Winter, are very thorough in their
work and when finished the plant will be
a model exchange, the best that can be
built."

What Causes Buzzing.

"What is the cause of the crackling
or frying noise often heard in receiv-
ers?"

"This may be caused by the induction
of heavy street railway currents, where
the telephone lines follow the trolley
wire for a considerable distance, also by
loose connections and frequently by the
type of transmitter. The solid back
transmitters are seldom the cause of
such annoyances."

"Will the new company be able to
avoid this?"

"We expect to provide a very quiet
instrument in that respect, having
adopted the Erickson transmitter, made
in Sweden, which is conceded to be the
most reliable yet devised, and the most
expensive. We will give every subsci-
ber at contract rate, the same service as
is now provided by all first class long
distance systems for which I believe a
rental charge of \$5 per month is usually
made in a city the size of Janesville."

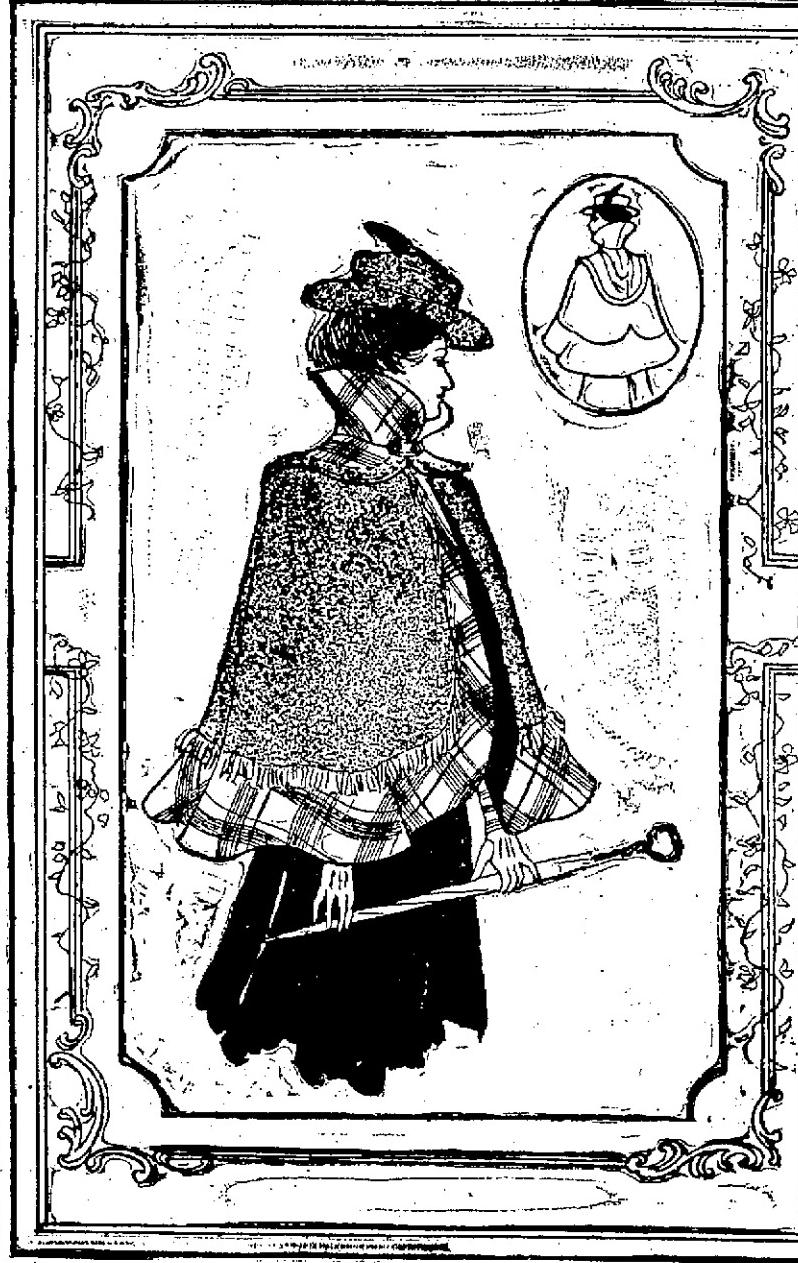
"This system will be comparatively
expensive to install, will it not?"

"I should judge the cost will be con-
siderably more than double any other
system, especially as the switch board
adopted is the best on the market. How-
ever, the indications are that the public
will patronize the system very liberally,
appreciating the pains taken regardless
of expense to keep the wires free of the
main business streets and also that the
greater portion of the construction
labor is performed by towns people and
that the rentals they pay are very rea-
sonable compared with other systems and
will be reinvested in this city."

Toll Line Service.

"Will there be any toll line service to
adjacent towns?"

"I understand the Badger State Long
Distance Telephone Co. have contracted
to extend their lines from Madison to
Evansville and Edgerton, Stoughton,
Beloit, Clinton, Milton and Janesville
and intermediate points. At Madison
connection can be had with over eight
hundred subscribers as against about
one-fourth as many by present lines.
From Madison the lines will connect
with La Crosse, Baraboo, Mineral Point



WALKING OR GOLF CAPE FROM HARPER'S BAZAR

A very jaunty and serviceable cape, which will prove equally adaptable for golf links or city street use during the darker days of spring, is that shown elsewhere on this page, and of which a cut paper pattern is issued with the current number of Harper's Bazaar, where the cloak appears. This exclusive design is cut in the latest form of cut double-faced Scotch wool cloth. The material employed is a double-faced Scotch wool cloth. This fabric is self trimming, in that the bright lines of the plaids of one side are always thrown into relief by the soft tone of the plain sides. The colors in the garment from which the design is taken are brilliant plain blue, with reverse side of red, yellow, pale blue, and white in

and many other points in that direction and throughout the state and in the near future undoubtedly will include Milwaukee as well as Chicago and northern Illinois towns. When these toll lines are established it will not be necessary to change instruments nor pay higher rentals. Under any other system it frequently happens that unless a subscriber has rented a high priced long distance outfit with metallic circuit it is necessary to seek such an instrument at a regular toll station to obtain satisfactory service. This the Rock County Telephone Co. propose to avoid."

The New Manager.

Manager Clingman, who will have charge of the new exchange, is an ex-
pert electrician, and a gentleman with whom Janesville people will find it a pleasure to do business. He was born in Lake County, Illinois, and in 1875, came to Janesville to attend the Valentine School of Telegraphy. After finishing his course, he went to Belvidere, Ill., as assistant operator for the C. & N. W. company. In the summer of 1876 was made night operator at Lodi, Wis., and in the fall of the same year was appointed day operator and station clerk at Belvidere where he remained about five years, leaving that position, on request of Mr. Thayer, superintendent of telegraph of the C. & N. W. railway, to engage as operator in the general office at Chicago. In the early '80's he was in the retail hardware business in Chicago for eighteen months, but went back to the old position with the C. & N. W. railway remaining several years. In the later '80's he was engaged to set up and operate a quadruplex system for the Postal Telegraph Co. at Peoria, returning to the C. & N. W. railway after six months absence.

Inspector of Lights.

In 1893 he was given the position of electric light inspector for the Chicago & Northwestern railway, which is under the same department as the telegraph, and filled that place until last August, when he took a position with the National Saving Machine company, of Belvidere. Thus the electrical education he has obtained has been a practical one in its various branches; and as inspector for the above road, he was called on to trace and remedy trouble and defects on many electrical devices. While acting in that capacity, in 1896 he perfected a system, which is still in operation, of replacing over fifty batteries used to work telegraph sounders in the Chicago depot, substituting therefor electric light currents of less energy than necessary to light one incandescent lamp.

For frost bites, burns, indolent sores, eczema, skin disease, and especially Piles, De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve stands first and best. Look out for dishonest people who try to imitate and counterfeit it. It's their endorsement of a good article. Worthless goods are not imitated. Get De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. People's Drug Co., Main and Milwaukee streets.

Before the discovery of One Minute Cough Cure, ministers were greatly disturbed by coughing congregations. No excuse for it now. People's Drug Co.

MANY GOOD THINGS FOR THEATRE GOERS

ROBERT MANTELL COMES ON
MARCH 17th;

Famous Play "Monbars" to Be the Bill
—A Parlor Match Also Underlined—Beach & Bowers Minstrels—
Novel Girl's Band—Uncle Josh Spruceby This Evening.

Manager Myers is providing very fine entertainments at the Myers Grand these days. On March 17 Robert Mantell will be seen in Monbars, which is classed as his best play. Few people, probably, know that Mr. Mantell is a full-blooded Scotchman. He was born in Irvine, Ayrshire, not far from the birthplace of Robert Burns, and was educated at Beefhill. Mr. Mantell says:

"I was originally intended for the bar, that is, my mother's greatest ambition was to see me a barrister. Perhaps unfortunately I was unable to pass my last examination and my father was so disgusted with me, that he walked me over to our wine merchant and bound me apprentice for five years. I can honestly say I had no great liking for book-keeping or office work, and often was reprimanded by my employer for reading play-books inside of the ledger; I always had a great partiality for the stage and played in all the amateur performances that I possibly could."

"Monbars" is adapted from the French, and the scenes are laid in France. For heart interest and heroics its equal can hardly be found.

Beach & Bowers Minstrels

The Beach & Bowers minstrel company will be seen here on Wednesday, March 1. This company has a world wide reputation, and an excellent performance can be expected.

Hoyt's "A Parlor Match"

Hoyt's "A Parlor Match" will be seen on March 3. It was the first of Hoyt's plays to win success, and its proprietors made a fortune out of it. Time had no ravaging effect on the play, but on the contrary seemed to add to its value. The wonderful ease, grace and agility with which it unfolds itself from its entanglements causes the lovers of farce comedy no end of delight. The company this year includes Philip H. Ryley, as "I McCorker," Mark Sullivan as "Old Hoss," Edith Hoyt as "Innocent Kidd," James T. Galloway as Captain Kidd, the Olympian Quartette, Tom Browne, the world's greatest whistler, the famous Kingsley sisters, Etta Butler, Harriet Sheldon, Walter Ware, Emma Marsh, Hattie Vera and numerous others.

Hanson's Girl Band.

Hans Hanson's famous girls band will be the attraction for March 28. The band and orchestra is composed entirely of Italian girls. Their music is a feature but the play itself—a new Swedish dialect performance—is one of merit.

Uncle Josh Spruceby.

The funny New England comedy, "Uncle Josh Spruceby," will be the next big event at the Myers Opera house, matinee and night, Saturday, February 25. This charming comedy drama is a series of pictures of New England farm life, and the troubles of "Uncle Josh" in making a visit to New York are incidentally touched upon. The characters are all taken from Vermont rural life and are true to nature, the play containing a mixture of pathos and humor.

Special scenery is used and the great saw mill scene in use in this production is the most realistic piece of stage mechanism ever presented. Thirty-five people are in the company. In the cities visited this season the press are lavish in their praise of the production. Many new and catchy specialties are presented. A solo operatic orchestra and big band is the musical features. A big parade is given at noon daily and the concert of popular music rendered is very popular and attracts large crowds.

Notice to Stockholders

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Janesville Street Railway Co. will be held in the office of the company at the power house on Feb. 27 at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors, and transacting any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

EDWIN L. BLABON, Secretary.

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.. LATE NEWS BY TELEGRAPH..

WEEKLY REVIEW OF TRADE.

Business Conditions of Last Week
Reported by Dun & Co.

PROSPERITY IN ALL LINES.

Outlook Has Never Been Better—Bradstreet's Points Out the Flourishing Condition of the Iron, Steel and Cotton Markets—The Week's Failures.

New York, Feb. 25.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s weekly review of trade says:

"The situation is without precedent. Business has never been better on the whole, and in some great industries the gain is astonishing. Exports surpass last year's as much as imports, though the excess over imports then was heavy. Failures are smaller than last year and smaller than in any one year of six years past. Stocks are stronger, the average for the active railway securities being a little higher and for trusts much more, owing to the extraordinary advance of \$48.75 in Tobacco. Payments through exchanges show greater volume of business than ever before at this season and nearly one-half larger than in the best of previous years. The outgo of breadstuffs and cotton continues heavy. But there are some who fear that such prosperity cannot last."

"Failures for the week have been 191 in the United States, against 233 last year, and 40 in Canada, against 30 last year."

Bradstreet's says: "Iron and steel and cotton goods have shared in public interest this week because of urgency in demand and consequent buoyancy in prices. In the former industry the striking feature has been the continued call for supplies alike of raw and of manufactured material, not only on domestic but even on foreign account, and it is as yet too early to ascertain the effect of the numerous and heavy advances announced during this week upon the export demand. In cotton goods, as in iron and steel and a number of other products, active export demand seems to have been at the bottom of the unquestionable improvement which has occurred in the last three months. The export trade in cotton goods is the largest ever known for the period since Jan. 1. Cereal products remain steady and but little changed in price. Wheat, including flour, shipments for the week aggregate 2,844,559 bushels, against 2,454,771 bushels last week. Corn exports for the week aggregate 2,871,057 bushels, against 1,560,845 bushels last week."

ADDRESS RAILWAY MEN.

Chauncey Depew Speaks at a Big Meeting at Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—Three thousand people, mostly railroad men and their families, gathered in the First Regiment armory Friday evening to hear Chauncey M. Depew. He was introduced by J. W. Callahan, president of the Railway and Telegraph Employees' Political league, who in the course of his speech said: "In this movement we do not aim to secure class legislation, but we do claim the inalienable right to protect our interests."

In his speech Mr. Depew spoke on the consideration of pooling contracts and the interstate commerce law. He believed the right to enter into pooling contracts should be granted under the supervision of the interstate commerce commission, which should be clothed with absolute power. He objected to the operation of the interstate commerce law, which had, he said, operated "to create combinations and trusts, to destroy the independence of the individual, to injure small places and small industries beyond all other agencies combined." He favored the administration of "a bureau of the government possessing very elastic discretionary powers" to pass upon questions of tariff and rates. Speaking of a delegate who was rapidly opposed to railroads and who was at the same time employed by a railroad company, the speaker said: "Now, it is such frauds, humbugs and rascals that it is your duty to politically crush."

China to Enter a Protest.

Pekin, Feb. 25.—The dowager empress is greatly incensed at the action of the Russians at Taliens-Wan on the Liao Tung peninsula, near Port Arthur, in killing 300 Chinese during a conflict which originated in a question of taxes, as cabled on Feb. 19. Her majesty has instructed the Chinese foreign office to protest in the strongest possible language against this "unwarrantable" action of the Russians, who, it is added, distinctly broke the terms of the Port Arthur convention, which does not give the Russians authority to collect taxes.

Towns Endangered by Water.

Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 25.—The present condition of the Susquehanna threatens a flood as serious as that of 1865. The great gorge extending from below Columbia dam to McCall's ferry, twelve miles in length, has backed the water to such an extent that the water below the dam is on a level with that above. A second gorge has formed at Chickies, resting on the rocks, and is twenty-five feet above the water, and backwater now threatens the whole front of Marletta. People are moving to the upper stories and vacating their houses

FIGHT OVER NEWSPAPERS.

Wisconsin Legislative Assembly Has a Warm Session.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 25.—After a week of the hardest work of the session so far both houses of the legislature adjourned Friday until 8:30 o'clock on Monday morning. In the assembly the Thomas bill, making the Evening Wisconsin the state official paper, was ordered to a third reading, an effort to pass it under suspension of the rules failing by a small margin. A feature of the fight was the vote for the State Journal by "Anti-Pass" A. R. Hall and G. E. Bryant, both of whom Taylor has frequently most bitterly attacked because of their aggressiveness as leaders of the La Follette element.

In the senate the committee on education recommended an increase of \$3,500 a year in the appropriation for the state free library commission, making the total appropriation \$7,500 a year. It also recommended the appointment of an additional clerk in the state superintendent's office, and that the traveling expenses of the assistant superintendent and library clerk be paid by the state.

The bill placing the state on the same basis as other creditors in cases of bank failures was favorably reported. The state is now a preferred creditor, and as such has saved about \$300,000 in the last six years.

Both houses unanimously adopted a resolution requesting the state congressional delegation to labor to have one of the new armored cruisers named Milwaukee.

Home Seekers' Cheap Excursions.
The North-Western Line will sell home seekers' excursion tickets February 21, March 7 and 21, with favorable time limits, to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & North-Western Ry.

Bill Passed to Be Vetoed.
Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 25.—The lower branch of the Indiana legislature Friday passed the senate bills appropriating \$100,000 for the completion of the state soldiers' and sailors' monument and \$120,000 for a state hospital for epileptics at Columbus. Both bills were passed over the protests of the committee on ways and means and the managers of the republican party. The governor announces that he will veto the bill to establish the hospital for epileptics.

A Card.
We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50c bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. People's Drug Co. H. E. Ranous & Co.

Orleans to Leave Brussels.
London, Feb. 25.—The Brussels correspondent of the Morning Post says the Belgian government has requested the Duc d'Orleans to curtail his stay in Brussels in order to prevent misunderstanding. Accordingly the duke will return to Turin to-day.

Dyspepsia—bane of human existence.
Burdock Blood Bitters cures it, promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggist's.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing, healing influences of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Car Combine Is Organized.
New York, Feb. 25.—Representatives from the companies composing the American Car and Foundry company have effected the permanent organization. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, William K. Bixby; vice-president, Frederick H. Eaton; secretary, Anthony Green. A board of directors was also chosen.

Happy is the man or woman who can eat a good hearty meal without suffering afterward. If you cannot do it, take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat, and cures all forms of Dyspepsia and Indigestion. People's Drug Co., Main and Milwaukee streets.

Not Bound to Pay Debts.
Madrid, Feb. 25.—In the chamber of deputies Senor Puigcerver, minister of finance, said he considered that Spain's responsibility for the Cuban debt was only subsidiary. He added that the guaranty for the debt was territories in which Spain had been compelled to relinquish her sovereignty, and she was therefore not bound to pay the debt.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius. The druggist handed him a bottle of Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. People's Drug Co.

Fatal Collision in Philadelphia.
Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 25.—One person was killed and thirteen others injured last night in a head-on collision between two Pennsylvania railroad trains near the Forty-fourth street bridge, Philadelphia. The accident was due to an open switch.

It takes a severe matrimonial frost to kill the orange blossoms used in Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Smith's Pharmacy, Kodak Agents.

If the Baby Do Cutting Teeth.
Be sure and use the old and well tried remedy, Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children tooth. It soothes the child, softens the gums and relieves all pain, eases wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bot-

HAIL TO GOMEZ.

Grand Demonstration in Honor of Stanch Old Rebel General.

Havana, Feb. 25.—The demonstration here Friday in honor of Gen. Gomez, the old rebel commander-in-chief, was an imposing spectacle. At El Cerro, a suburb of Havana, he was welcomed by Gen. Ludlow and his staff and 800 Cuban cavalry and 1,000 infantry.

After an exchange of salutations between the officers Gen. Gomez mounted his horse, and with Gen. Ludlow on his right, and followed by his own and Gen. Ludlow's staffs, marched to Havana.

The band of the Seventh United States cavalry, playing the national hymn, followed the staff officers. Behind the band was company L of the Seventh cavalry, and this was followed by Gen. Mayia Rodriguez, with 28,000 Cuban soldiers, and the Cuban generals Carrillo, Roloff, Sanguily, Hernandez and Jose Miguel Gomez.

Behind the military marched over 20,000 civilians, representing the corporations, clubs, and all classes of people. There were over a hundred thousand persons gathered along the streets through which the procession passed. The shouting and cheering for the old Cuban hero was deafening.

Mrs. Manning Is Re-Elected.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Daughters of the American Revolution received the report of the tellers on the election held to fill national offices, as follows: Mrs. Daniel Manning, Buffalo, N. Y., president-general; Mrs. E. W. Howard, Alexandria, Va., vice-president in charge of organization; Mrs. W. A. Smoot, chaplain-general; Mrs. A. Akers, recording secretary-general; Mrs. K. K. Henry, corresponding secretary-general; Mrs. G. B. Darwin, treasurer-general; Miss H. S. Hefzel, registrar-general.

Without a Home or Plant.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 25.—For the second time in ten years the Minneapolis Tribune is without a home or plant. The building and equipment were totally destroyed by fire late Friday night. The Johnson building, three stories in height, adjoining on the west, was destroyed and all its contents. Only the direction of the wind saved the big Olson department store on the south. The total loss by the fire is estimated at \$150,000. The total insurance will aggregate not less than \$100,000.

Open the door, let in the air;
The winds are sweet, the flowers are fair.

Joy is abroad in the world for me,
Since taking Rocky Mountain Tea.

Smith's Pharmacy, Kodak Agents.

New Regulations As to Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home seekers' excursionists may now return any day within the twenty-one days limit. Round trip excursion tickets to Iowa, Minnesota and Dakota points, and to points in southern, south-western, western and northern states, with a twenty-one day limit at half fare plus \$2, will be for sale by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry. on February 7, 21, March 7, 21 and April 4th and 18th.

As the season of the year when pneumonia, la grippe, sore throat, coughs, colds, catarrh, bronchitis and lung troubles are to be guarded against, nothing "is a fine substitute," will "answer the purpose," or is "just as good" as One Minute Cough Cure. That is the one infallible remedy for all lung, throat and bronchial troubles. Insist vigorously upon having it if "something else" is offered you. The People's Drug Co.

Tour of All Mexico.

In a special vestibuled train of Pullman compartment, drawing room, library and dining cars, with the celebrated open-top observation car, Chililith, starting from Chicago, Monday, February 27, for a tour of 37 days, the longest ever offered. Tickets include all expenses—railway and sleeping car fares, meals in dining car, hotels, carriages, special street cars, boats, guides and interpreters—no extras whatever.

The party will be a select one and limited in number and will be personally conducted under the auspices of the American Tourist association, Beau Campbell, Gen. Mgr., 1423 Marquette Bldg., Chicago. For full information, maps, circulars, etc., call on or address any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway.

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called Grain-O. It is a delicious, appetizing, nourishing food drink to take the place of coffee. Sold by all grocers and liked by all who have used it because when properly prepared it is the finest coffee. Grain-O aids digestion and strengthens the nerves. It is not a stimulant but a health builder, and children, as well as adults, can drink it with great benefit. Costs about 25¢ as much as coffee. 15¢ to 25¢.

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You Have a Pain,

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Do you know that we have hundreds of letters from all parts of the world telling us of the wonderful cures these plasters have made? Do you know that all other so-called porous plasters were started after Allcock's had acquired their enormous sales and world-wide reputation? Do you know that none of them have the medicinal properties of Allcock's? Just put them to your nose and compare the fine aromatic odor of Allcock's with the smell of all others. Don't be deceived—get the genuine article.

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Suits, \$18.00, \$20.00
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Now is the time to get a tailor made suit at cost.

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Make them pleasant and attractive. Nothing does this so cheaply as nice

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Investigate for yourself. That's the way to be convinced of the advantage to be gained here over others.

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A CARLOAD OF BUGGIES . . .

We have ordered a carload of Buggies and expect them very soon. The lot includes

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Our Buggy business has become a feature with us and we intend that this season shall be ahead of all previous records. Our high grade vehicles and moderate prices make business for us.

We Operate a Wood Yard.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY

1634—Count Albrecht Wenzel Eusebius Wallenstein, or Waldstein, commander of the Austrian imperial army, assassinated by secret order of his sovereign. Wallenstein won victories for Ferdinand of Austria which saved the empire. His last army was composed of mercenaries and he refused to obey the commands of the emperor, but aspired to a crown and opened negotiations with Austria's enemies. For that he was assassinated.

1728—Sir Christopher Wren, architect of St. Paul's, etc., died; born 1632.

1747—Charles Cotesworth Pinckney born in Charleston; died there 1835.

1871—Treaty arranged between France and Germany. By the terms of the treaty Alsace and Lorraine were ceded to Germany and a war indemnity of five billions of francs—about \$1,000,000,000—granted the conqueror.

1891—Stelle Mackay, well known American actor, playwright and teacher, died at Timmon, Colo.; born 1842.

1896—General David Morrison, a Federal veteran, died in New York city; born 1833.

Rear Admiral Joseph Fyffe, U. S. N., retired, died at Pierce, Neb.; born 1822.

MORE ABOUT PASSES

The Superior Evening Telegram prints the following article on passes, which has a direct bearing on the Janesville case:

"The council has for some days wavered 'twixt duty and desire on the street car pass question and has at last succumbed, by a narrow vote, to desire. We do not see that any great moral, political or public principle is involved in the question whether the aldermen accept President Noyell's little passes or not. Of course the same general argument applies that holds good against the pass question in state politics. Then, too, the republican party has issued a decree in its formal platform against the practice of public servants accepting such favors from the 'greedy, grasping' and 'needy' corporations, which of itself, is significant as an embodiment of public opinion on the question."

"Nobody supposes for a moment that any alderman is bought by a street railway pass. Neither have we any case in mind of the street car management discriminating in extending this 'courtesy' to the aldermen. So far as we know it has not been refused any duly elected alderman nor has it been withdrawn from any alderman 'for cause.' So any way the question really simmers down to one of defiance of a public sentiment rather than to one of ethics or even politics. The aldermen now draw good salaries, almost as much as some supervisors; they are honored and respected, in the main, and what more should they ask?"

The street car pass should go."

CONDAMN DAMAGE SUITS.

Du Lac Grange No. 72 of Wisconsin, in session at Milton Junction passed resolutions condemning the damage suit industry and requesting members of the legislature "to use their efforts to procure such changes in the laws of this state, as shall relieve the cities, villages and towns from litigation of the nature herein referred to."

Similar resolutions have already been adopted by the common council of Janesville and Beloit, so it would appear that the people were in earnest in the campaign against suits, wherein, as has been stated in the resolutions, "the cause of such litigation has been almost entirely beyond the control of the officers in charge of the streets and highways of the county, and could not by the exercise of all reasonable care on their part have been averted."

Du Lac Grange No. 72, at Milton Junction, adopted a resolution condemning the present jury system and asking the members of the legislature "to use their efforts to procure such changes in the jury law of this state, as shall bring the desired relief; by enacting, that two-thirds of the jury shall decide all cases that shall come before them, and that cities of less than 20,000 inhabitants, a majority of the jurymen shall be drawn from the country."

The St. Louis Globe-Democrat says that it can see nothing remarkable about the fact that American whisky is called "cake" in the Philippines, as "every kind of liquor is bread in old Kentucky." Following the same line of deduction, we come to the conclusion that the Globe-Democrat should have added that this is the reason that Kentuckians insist that their "pasture grass is blue."

We can see no reason why Senator Dennett's anti-tight lacing bill should attract so much attention. The Chinese women lace their shoes so tightly that their feet are deformed, yet no such law is deemed necessary in China. Nor can we see why it should be assumed that the women lace their shoes more tightly than the men do, yet the men are not made answerable to the law.

Notice has been posted at all the plants of the Tomas Iron company, Allentown, Pa., notifying the employees that their wages have been advanced ten per cent. The "soulless plutocrats!"

In its review of trade conditions, the Iron Age says that there is increasing

excitement in the iron trade and prices are now advancing in leaps and bounds. Continued heavy requirements are coming into the market, both for raw material and for finished goods.

The old sailor who said a ship was said to be "she," because "the riggin' cost more than the hull," will probably rise from his grave to insist that his reasoning is strengthened by the statement that "the expense of running an Atlantic steamer for three years exceeds the cost of its construction."

So Grover Cleveland wants to be president in 1900. Well, thanks to the delightful harmony in which our democratic brethren are now dwelling, he will probably receive the nomination on a silver platter.

And when the padamiks learned that they might be sent to Oshkosh, they retired to the innermost recesses of their subterranean residence, and sent up wails surpassing in sadness the wild weird cry of the heartbroken whangdoodle.

Lieutenant Hobson is doing quite well, thank you, and feels very much at home in the far east. A marriage ceremony was recently performed at Nagasaki, Japan, and the lieutenant "enthusiastically kissed the bride."

The Khalifa is marching on the Nile, but as the Mad Mullah is keeping off the Swat, all may yet be well.

California senators have passed a bill to prohibit the publication of cartoons in newspapers.

A compromise has been reached on the army bill, and the enlargement will be temporary.

It is now predicted that today's French crisis will keep over Sunday.

DEWEY WANTS THE OREGON.

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another telegram received from Dewey was inconsistent with the opinion that "political reasons" referred to foreign complications.

While these opinions are expressed by cabinet officers, they are not shared by other officials. Admiral Dewey, it is contended by these, is a man who does not use words that do not convey his meaning. These dissenting opinions are evidently shared pretty generally outside the cabinet circle.

Uprising Result of a Plot.

Manila, Feb. 25.—There was light skirmishing in front of Gen. King's position last night.

A quiet investigation by the American authorities reveals a deep-laid plot for a native uprising two nights ago.

Nine hundred and ninety-two soldiers and officers sailed for Spain Thursday. About 2,000 remain, besides a few civil employees.

To relieve the food stringency of the city all articles of diet, except rice, will be admitted free of duty.

Despite the threats of the Filipinos to burn the business center, the inhabitants of Manila were not disturbed last night. There was not a single incident worth recording from the time when the streets were cleared until day dawned this morning.

Everything was equally quiet along the line outside, except for occasional volleys from bunches of the enemy at various points.

O Is Reports Thursday's Battle.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The following dispatch was received from Gen. Otis Friday.

Manila, Feb. 24.—Adjutant-General, Washington: Scandia arrived last night. On nights of February 21 and 22 and yesterday morning, insurgent troops gained access to the outskirts of the city behind our lines. Many are in hiding and about 1,000 have entrenched themselves. Insurgents completely routed yesterday, with loss of killed and wounded of 500 and 200 prisoners. Our loss very slight. City quiet. Confidence restored. Business progressing.

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TEAS.

Unclored Japan, 38c, 48c, 50c, 60c, 70c, 80c, 90c, 100c. Busket Fired Japan, 70c, 80c, Olongo, 50c, 60c, 80c. English Breakfast, 50c, 60c, 70c, 80c. Gun Powder, 50c, 60c, 70c, 80c. Young Peas, 50c, 60c, 70c, 80c. Monsoon, 60c. Flints, 50c. Star Blend, 70c. Unclored Japan Tea Sifted, 50c.

COFFEE.

Arabian Mocha, 38c. Mandeling Java, 38c. Extra Old Government Java, 38c. Choice Old Government Java, 38c. Peruvian, 25c. Dr. Price's Vanilla, 38c. Rose, 38c. Cinnamon, 38c. Golden Rica, 38c. Best Arabián, 25c. Good Rio, 12½c. 15c. 20c. 25c. Crushed Mexican, 25c. Best Arabian Mocha and Java, 2½c. cans, 75c. Bankers' Mocha and Java, 1½c. cans, 55c.

SPICES.

Pepper, Cinnamon, Ginger, Cloves, Mustard, Allspice, Nutmegs, Mixed Spices, Mace, Bay-leaves, etc.

EXTRACTS.

Souders' Lemon, 10c. Souders' Vanilla, 15c. Monarch Brand, 25c. Dr. Price's Lemon, 25c. Dr. Price's Vanilla, 38c. Rose, 38c. Cinnamon, 38c.

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Thick Smoked Herring, per lb..... 14c
Large can Alaska Salmon, per can..... 10c

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SUNDAY SERMONS FOR TOMORROW

WHERE THEY WORSHIP AND
HOW THEY'LL WORSHIP.

The Churches of Janesville Will Offer
Unusual Attraction Tomorrow For
Seekers After Divine Wisdom and
All Should Be Well Attended—Bet-
ter For So Doing.

The churches of this city offer unusual attractions tomorrow for those seeking after divine wisdom. The topics handled by the pastors are many and varied and equal to all demands. Following will be found the subjects for discourses at the several places of worship:

Court Street M. E. Church—Rev. Walter A. Hall, the pastor, will preach both morning and evening. Tomorrow and one week from tomorrow the morning theme will be "The Beatitudes." These will surely interest. Tomorrow evening Mr. Hall will begin a series of parallels and contrasts between historic celebrities and biblical characters. "Louis XIV and Solomon" will be the subject for tomorrow night. The truly brilliant careers, so far as material glory is concerned, of the unapproachable Solomon and the "Sun King" will be compared. Music by a good quartette. Class at 9:45 a.m.; Sunday school at 12 m.; Epworth League at 6 p.m. Come.

Christ Church—Second Sunday in Lent. Celebration of the Holy Communion 8:00 a.m.; Sunday School 9:30 a.m.; Morning service and sermon 10:30 a.m. Sermon topic, "The Silence of Christ." Young People's service 6:00 p.m. Evening service and sermon 7:00 p.m. Sermon topic, "Angels vs. Devils." Lenten services—Tuesdays and Thursdays, 4:15 p.m. Wednesday and Friday, 7:15 p.m.

Seventh Day Adventists will hold meetings at Corn Exchange hall. Services will be conducted by J. W. C. W. Olds, assisted by Prof. J. W. Beardsele, as follows. Preaching Sunday evening; prayer and social service Wednesday evening, and preaching Friday evening. Sabbath school, Sabbath (Saturday) at 10 a.m., followed by preaching at 11 a.m. All evening services begin at 7:30. Everyone welcome.

First M. E. Church—The special meetings continue with splendid interest and success. The pastor will preach both morning and evening. Miss Mary Bill will speak to the children and young people at 3 o'clock. Mr. Stewart will sing at all the services; the male quartet will also sing in the evening. Sunday school at 12 m.; Epworth League at 5 p.m. Class meeting at 9:30 a.m.

Congregational Church—Morning service 10:30 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor, Robert C. Denison, subject, "The Unity of Believers." Sabbath school at 12 m. Junior Y. P. S. C. E. at 4 p.m. Senior Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p.m. Evening service at 7 o'clock, sermon subject, "Two Views of Life and Their Consequences. The Rubaiyat of Omar and Longfellow's Psalm of Life."

First Baptist Church—Public worship at 10:30 a.m. with sermon by the pastor on "Miracles of Missions." "Church Echoes" for those who wish them. Sunday school at noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:00 p.m., with program of interest to all young people. People's service at 7:00. Sermon subject, "Awake! Arise!" Everybody welcome. Arthur C. Kempton, pastor.

Trinity Church—Second Sunday in Lent. 7:30 a.m. holy communion; 10:30 a.m. Matins, Litany and sermon; 12 noon, Sunday school, 6:30 p.m., bible class; 7:30 p.m., evensong and sermon. Services during the week—Wednesday and Friday, 7:30 a.m., holy communion; 12 noon, Litany; 7:30 p.m., compline address. Daily—9:30 a.m., Matins; 5 p.m., evensong. F. L. Maryon, rector.

Mary Kimball Mission—City Missionary Mary Kimball, pastor. Sunday school at 2 p.m. Preaching at 3:15 p.m., and at 7:30 p.m. The sermon in the evening will be especially for young men, by the pastor. All young men and others invited. Meetings Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings. Everybody welcome.

Presbyterian Church—Morning worship at 10:30 o'clock. Sermon by the pastor, Edward H. Pence. Subject, "The Symmetrical Life." Evening service at 7 o'clock. Subject, "Eternal Life; What is it and When?" Young people's meeting at 6 p.m. Bible school at 12 m.

Church of Christ, Scientist—Services are held in Columbia hall, corner Jackson and Milwaukee streets, Sunday at 10:30 a.m., Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. Sun day school immediately after morning service. All are welcome.

Norwegian Lutheran Church—There will be services at the Norwegian Lutheran church at 7:30 p.m. Sermon in Norwegian by Rev. J. Grevstad, of DeForest, Wis.

St. Patrick's Church—First mass 7:30 a.m.; second mass, 9:00 a.m.; third mass, 10:30 a.m. Vespers and benediction 3. Rev. Eugene M. McGinnity, dean; Rev. J. J. Collins, assistant.

St. Mary's Church—First mass 8:30 a.m.; second mass, 10:30 a.m.; evening devotion, 7:30 p.m.; Sunday school, 9 a.m. Rev. Wm. A. Goobel, pastor.

Modern Woodmen Night.

Florence Camp of Modern Woodmen are planning for a jolly time at their regular meeting Monday night. Delegations of neighbors are expected from Edgerton, Evansville, Afton, Johnston and Emerald Grove. The degree work will be exemplified and a banquet served at the Y. M. C. A. building to the members of the camp and visiting neighbors during the evening.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

McNAMARA sells hardware.
FRESH fish every day. Sanborn.
WANTED—200 pounds clean rags
Gazette Press rooms.

WHILE it lasts, 12 bars Viking soap
for 25c. Sanborn.

ATTEND our special closing out sale
of all winter goods. T. P. Burns.

H. M. WEAVER is confined to his
home with bronchial pneumonia.

Big soap bargains, 12 bars Viking
washing soap 25 cents. Sanborn.

DR. SIEHL, diseases of women and
children. Over Bort, Bailey Co. Tel. 250.
Dry wood, sawed, split and delivered
to any part of the city. F. A. Taylor & Co.

We sell silk neckwear at 10 cents during
our special sale. New York Clothing
Store.

W. C. GOODARD, the candy maker,
will be at Al Smith's all the week of the
mid-winter fair.

MIDWINTER fair three days, and lace
curtain sale three days. See large ad.
Bort, Bailey & Co.

The newest things in men's and boys'
clothing at the New York Clothing
Store, Mackin's corner.

People who smoke a few of that
favorite En Route 5 cent cigar come back
for a box. Sanborn.

Viking soap is equal to any washing
soap on the market, 12 bars for 25
cents, while it lasts. Sanborn.

M. J. LEAHY, Perry Turnbaugh, H.
J. Webb and J. Readman are visiting
friends in the northern part of the state.

FOR SALE—I have twenty of
the choicest lots in Riverview Park, will
sell or trade. Terms tight. Brown
Fleck.

We won't be able to secure more of
this Viking soap when the present lot is
exhausted; while it lasts, 12 bars for
25c. Sanborn.

Buy your hat and neckwear at the
New York Clothing Store. Special sale
today and tomorrow. See display ad
on another page.

ALL our cloaks at one-third their
former prices, \$5. for \$1.67; \$10 cloaks
for \$3.33; \$12 cloaks for \$4; \$15 cloaks
for \$5. T. P. Burns.

Prices slaughtered on lace curtains
and draperies for three days next week.
See large ad on another page of this
issue. Bort, Bailey & Co.

PROF. CLIMIE, of Chicago, phenologist
and human scientist, is at the Myers'
Grand. If you are in need of advice
about your business or health, call and
see him.

MEMBERS of the Mid winter Fair com-
mittee will meet at the committee office
next door to Rock County National
bank, at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon to
make final arrangements.

HERMAN ZANDER, a tailor of large ex-
perience, has opened a shop in the
Janesville Clothing Co.'s north window
on South Main street. His announce-
ment is found on page 4.

Two great events in Janesville for
March 1, 2, and 3, the Mid-winter fair
and our mammoth third annual lace
curtain and drapery sale. See large ad
on another page. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Those who have spare show cases
that can be used for the Midwinter fair
exhibits are asked to notify F. L. Cle-
mons at the committee headquarters next
to Rock County National bank. The
show cases will be called for and their
return in good order is guaranteed by
the committee.

EVERY man in the city should at-
tend the men's meeting at the Y. M. C.
A. building tomorrow at 3 p.m. Mr.
Edward Ruge will lead. The quartette
will sing. This is the opportunity for
every man in the city to show his inter-
est touching the young men of our
community for good. Come and bring
your friends.

Food For Invalids.

We are having considerable call these
days for specially prepared artic-
cles for invalids' food. Several
of the best cereal foods made we
sell, among them Shredded Whole
Wheat Biscuits, made in Worcester,
Mass., an article especially re-
commended for invalids and peo-
ple with weak, easily distressed
stomachs. It sells at 15 cents a pack-
age, two for 25 cents. Granose Flakes
enrich the blood, made at Battle Creek,
Mich., 15 cents a package, two for 25
cents. Granola is also made at Battle
Creek, and sells at 15 cents, two packages
for 25 cents. Grapes Nuts are a
splendid grain food, 15 and 25 cents a
package. These foods are all prepared
and ready for use and do not require
cooking. We sell the Franklin whole
wheat flour made at Lockport, N. Y., 40
cents a sack. Blodgett Milling Co.'s
whole wheat flour 25 cents per sack.
Sanborn.

Third Annual Lace Curtain and Drapery
Sale.

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday
March 1, 2, and 3, we will hold our an-
nual sale of lace curtains and drapery-
ies. Each year during the Mid-Winter
fair we have held these sales and extra-
ordinary bargains have been offered.
This year's sale mats up well with our
past efforts and cut prices will be in
vogue. Our stock in this department
is larger this year than ever before in
our store's history, and the best way to
become acquainted with the full extent
of our intended sale is to look up our
large list on page 8, this issue. Bort,
Bailey & Co.

In the Interest of Labor.

"Jones & Smith, the tailors, were
arrested today." "What for?" "They
had a sign in their window, Jones &
Smith, Importing Tailors, and Casey,
the new policeman, arrested them for
violating the alien contract labor
law."

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ODD FELLOWS WILL FAVOR JANESEVILLE

STATE MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR HERE.

That is What the Local Delegates
Say—Means the Bringing Here of
Fully a Hundred and Fifty Odd Fel-
lows—Could Have Had the Meeting
This Year.

The Milwaukee Sentinel speaks of
Ogden H. Fethers' speech at the ban-
quet given Senator Quarles at Milwau-
kee, as follows:

Ogden H. Fethers, who followed Mr.
Quarles, was introduced as the man from
Rock county, who was a lawyer from
necessity and a farmer from choice. Mr.
Fethers was to respond to the toast,
"The Nation." He opened his address
by telling a story of the senator elect
which provoked a roar of laughter, and
then took up the serious side of his sub-
ject. He declared that the nation's
policy of expansion was not a new pol-
icy, but had been followed until the
territory of the United States was
today fifty times its original size.
As Mr. Fethers developed as an
advocate of expansion, he awakened the
enthusiasm of the banqueters. The op-
position to expansion, he urged, was
developed before the days of the railroad
and telegraph. While he acknowledged
that a government's first duty was to its
own citizens, it also had a duty to extend
its protection to the down-trodden chil-
dren of the earth. His closing sentence
that the guests welcome the twentieth
century add with it the new mission of
the nation in the world, was received
with a degree of enthusiasm seldom
manifested by conservative business
men. They rose to their feet, and
heeded the sentiment, and ended with
three cheers for the speaker.

At the meeting held in Beaver Dam
last year the Bower City could easily
have won out over Marinette, and it
was the voting of the local delegates
that gave Marinette the meeting this
year.

The local delegates are going into
the meeting this year to land the prize
in Janesville for 1900, and that they
will be successful in their efforts, there
is but little doubt.

Members of the I. O. O. F. are
more numerous in the southern portion of
the state than in any other section, and
for this reason they strongly favors
Janesville last year as being a more con-
venient location.

Marinette, they claimed, was too far
away, thus requiring considerable extra
expense on the part of many who were
obliged to go from the southern part of
the state where the greater portion of
the delegates reside.

Odd Fellows in many portions of the
state, who will attend the meeting at
Marinette have already signed their
intention of voting for Janesville.

On account of being more in an Odd
Fellow district the delegates who will be
here next year will be fully fifty in ex-
cess of those who will go to Marinette.

The Grand Council Patriarch Militia
will also assemble at the same time
which will mean the coming of several
delegates.

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THE DYING WAIF.

By Blance Langdon Ammen. It was while I was resident physician at the Emergency hospital that the following case came under my notice. There had been brought into the charity ward a boy of about twelve years of age. He was badly mangled, and I knew from the moment I saw him that he could not recover.

"Jimmie," I said one day, "how did you happen to get all broken up this way?"

"Well, yer see, I'm a newsboy on the P. & R. road, and I was a passin' through the train a lappin' all the latest novels. (Yer know how they doles in trains). And as I was goin' from one car to the next with my arms piled high, the train give a lurch and my books took a tumble; next I known I was here." After a pause he murmured, "I suppose I must have fell overboard tryin' to catch 'em."

"You had better have lost them, Jimmie," I said, stroking his thin little hands.

"Oh, but yer don't know what a time there'd be a been with the boss when I checked up." His eyes flashed, and his hand trembled with emotion. "Them's awful times, sir; when yer comes in short." Feeling that he had talked enough, I went on down the ward examining others. As each day passed, he grew steadily worse. In his delirium, he talked incessantly of "checkin' up." Sometimes he would cry piteously, "Am I short, tell me; tell me, am I short?" Then there would be incoherent words and moans ending, oftentimes, in heart-rending sobs. I concluded that he must be worrying about these books, therefore I decided, the next time his mind was clear, to set him at rest about them.

"So I said to him, "Jimmie, you needn't worry any more about those books. I've paid the debt, you won't come in short."

He looked at me blankly for a moment; then he sighed. "I ain't a worryin' about no books."

"Well," I said, sitting down beside him, "what is it? Tell me."

He lay perfectly quiet for a time, and I wondered, as I stroked the long jocks back from the oldish face, what burden there could be that could so torture the soul of this dying child. Suddenly he turned his large hollow eyes upon me, and looked piercing into my face —"I'm goin' to die—I know that straight."

"We are doing the best we can for you, Jimmie."

"Oh, I'm not a-kickin' about you, nor the nurse, neither; you've been real good to me. I wisht I could tell yer, though, all what worries me; but you've no time to listen to the likes of me," he added, turning wearily from me.

I longed to shed some comfort into the little life that was slipping away so fast, so I said, "Jimmie, tell me;—I have time."

Then he told me his story—words that touched my heart as nothing else had ever done.

"There was a feller on board my train to-day," he began, "a nice lookin' old chap—and he says to me, 'soon as you're through, I want to talk to you about yer job and some other things. I tell you I was scared awful; I took him to be a 'Spotter,' and I thought he'd got on to me sellin' my own stuff now and then; 'taint right, yer know, but all the fellers do it. Well, I owed him to face what was up; so directly I went and set alongside of him. That was the day afore I got hurt. I'm glad I seen him. I never knowed about them things he talked about afore." His lip quivered,



"AND I'VE NEVER DONE NOTHIN' FOR HIM."

"I 'oughta a known afore, it's too late now."

"What is too late, Jimmie?"

"Then things he talked about."

"What did he say?"

"He asked me about the office, and I told him as how things was. You know, I works the 4:30 train to New York. The boss gives me a basket of stock, and I'm held responsible. I carry all the latest novels, candy, cigars, Florida oranges, bananas; you know them things yer get on the train. We gets 20 per cent on all we sells. Every night we turns in our money and stock to the boss, and he checks us up; sometimes we're right, and sometimes we're short. This old chap he listened and asked the most questions about all I'm a-tellin' yer. Finally he says, says he, 'We've all got to check up' some day, do you ever think of that?'

"I asked him what business he was in. He said he was connected with somethin' or other. I don't just remember now; then he said he wasn't referrin' to business, but that we all, when we died, would have to give an account to the One what gives us our

lives as to what we'd done with 'em. He said it was sumthin' similar to my business. My Heavenly Father had gimme some stock,—such as my health, my right senses, lots of chance for doin' good, and so on the like o' that, and when I died, I'd have to check up, and He'd ask me what I'd done with all He'd gimme; then if I'd used all them things just for my own pleasure, and not tried to do no' good fer Him, I'd be short when I checked up. He told me of a beautiful home prepared for them as was all right in their stock. When he talked about havin' a home, I fell to longin'—I never knowed what that was—to have home, yer know."

Jimmie paused for a moment, then with the saddest expression I ever saw, he murmured, "but that's not fer the likes o' me, it's too late now; if I'd only known sooner, I might have had some show, but I've got to check up just as I am, and I never done nothin' with all He gimme."

There was silence—silence which I could not break. Why could I not comfort this dying boy? I was able to relieve his body, but his soul was suffering now. Several times I essayed to speak, but no words came. I knew the old, old story, but my own mis-spent life reproached me. Should I tell him that that which he had listened to was a mere fable, or should I give up, now and here, the stand which I had taken for so many years, and own to myself that all the doubts I had held to so tenaciously were false? Here in the presence of death, I knew I did believe—there was a God—this child had shown Him to me.

Jimmie was looking to me for comfort; his large eyes fixed on my face, wondering why I did not speak. All at once the words came, and I preached to him Christ—I, the doubter, the atheist; told him of Jesus and His love; how many, many years ago He had died that we, believing on Him, might enter that home and be saved. He had paid all our debt with His life, and set us free. Jimmie listened eagerly, tears trickling down his cheeks—"And I've never done nothin' fer him," he said, slowly."

"Yes, you have, Jimmie, you have been the means of saving my soul."

The next morning the nurse told me that Jimmie had been asking for me. I went over and stood by his bed. He lay very quiet—just drifting away. I took his hand. "Jimmie," I said, "I am here, do you know me?"

A bright smile overspread his face as he pressed my hand. Then all the life that was left exerted itself, and I bent low to hear the whispered words—"I'll not be short. He'll make it right. I'm—" I could not hear what he would have said, for the spirit, which a moment before had been speaking to me, was now giving an account of the deeds done in the body. Jimmie was "checkin' up." —Ram's Horn.

WHEN FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE CAME.

"When Florence Nightingale came, instantly a new intelligence, instinct with pity afame with energy fertile with womanly invention, swept through the Scutari Hospital. Clumsy male devices were dismissed, almost with a gesture, into space. Dirt became a crime, fresh air and clean linen, sweet food and soft hands a plenty.

A great kitchen was organized which provided well cooked food for thousand men. Washing was a lost art in the hospital; but this band of women created, as with a breath, a great laundry, and a strange cleanliness crept along the walls and the beds of the hospital. In their warfare with disease and pain these women showed a resolution as high as the men of their race showed against the gray-coated battalions of Inkermann or in the frozen trenches before Sebastopol. Muddle-headed male routine was swept ruthlessly aside.

If the commissariat failed to supply requisites, Florence Nightingale, who had great funds at her disposal, instantly provided them herself, and the heavy-footed officials found the swift feet of these women outrunning them in every path of help and pity. Only one flash of anger is reported to have broken the serene calm which served as a mask for the steel-like and resolute will of Florence Nightingale. Some stores had arrived from England; sick men were languishing for them.

But routine required that they should be "inspected" by a board before being issued, and the board, moving with heavy-footed slowness, had not completed its work when night fell.

The stores were, therefore, with official phlegm, locked up, and their use denied to the sick. Between the needs of hundreds of sick men, that is, and the comforts they required, was the locked door, the symbol of red tape. Florence Nightingale called a couple of orderlies, walked to the door, and quietly ordered them to burst it open, and the stores to be distributed." —Cornhill Magazine.

Invitation Etiquette.

"I know a young girl who is so punctilious that it is a pleasure to invite her anywhere," said a lady not long since. "She always keeps her appointments to the minute, never forgets her engagements and is always to be depended upon. She is very popular with young and old, and there is little doubt that she owes much to this praiseworthy attribute. In the matter of invitations the least one can do to show his appreciation of the courtesy extended is to be prompt."

POWER OF A JUDGE

EDITOR IS PUT IN JAIL FOR CONTEMPT.

Boston Newspaper Criticizes a Court and Its Author Is Made to Suffer—One of the Dangerous Signs of the Times.

For contempt of court, a Boston editor is serving thirty days in jail in Dedham, Mass. It is the first time the staid New England city has been face to face with a question involving, as it does, the freedom of the press, and there is great interest in the outcome. The technical offense of Torrey E. Wardner, who is editor of the Boston Traveler, is publishing comments upon a trial before its adjudication by the jury, but the story behind the whole matter would show that Judge Sherman, who sentenced the editor, is avenging himself for sharp criticism of his actions on the bench published in the Traveler. It was claimed by the Traveler that Judge Sherman had sharply cross-examined the defendant in a case in which the newspaper had interested itself as against a railroad corporation, and that the court had afterward realized the error of his ways and had apologized when taken to task by the attorney for the defense. The Traveler referred to this as "Judge Sherman's Bad Break," and this seemed to anger his honor to such an extent that he sent for Editor Torrey.

Editor Torrey E. Wardner, rey, and when the latter declared he would stand by everything his paper had said, Judge Sherman sentenced him to thirty days in jail for contempt. The Traveler is a 1-cent afternoon paper of the type commonly designated as "sensational." It is published on pink paper and has screaming headlines and many editions every afternoon. For some time the paper has been fit to criticize the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company on every occasion; and this fight is really back of the present trouble of Editor Torrey.

Last August there was a bad accident near Sharon station, on the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad. One section of a passenger train crashed into the rear of the section preceding it. Five persons were killed and eighty-seven injured. The engineer of the second section, Daniel W. Getchell, was arrested and indicted for manslaughter, it being charged that he had "feloniously and willfully killed Franklin M. Waters of Somerville." Waters was one of the passengers. Getchell was discharged by the railroad, which maintained that the red danger signals were properly set on the block in which the first section was, and that it was Getchell's failure to properly use the brakes which caused the accident. Getchell admitted that the signals were all right, and declared that he had used all the brakes, but that they were out of order and would not hold the train. Here was the issue, and the Traveler took up Getchell's fight.

On Dec. 14 Getchell was put on trial before Judge Sherman in the Superior court of Norfolk county, that being the county in which the accident had taken place, and the Traveler began his defense in its news columns. Court convened in the town of Dedham. In the introduction to the day's story, published in the paper of Dec. 14 was the following:

"A lonely looking figure in that courtroom was Getchell. The hand of every man in the pay of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company seemed to be raised against him. He felt that all the complex machinery at the command of the powerful corporation, which he had served faithfully for seventeen years, had been set in motion to secure his conviction. He felt, too, that in their anxiety to screen their own shortcomings and divert public attention his late employers had made him a scapegoat."

On the following day there appeared in the Traveler the editorial which ostensibly was the basis for the editor's sentence. The next day the jury found Getchell guilty and sentenced him to two years at hard labor, and the verdict was not commented on by the Traveler.

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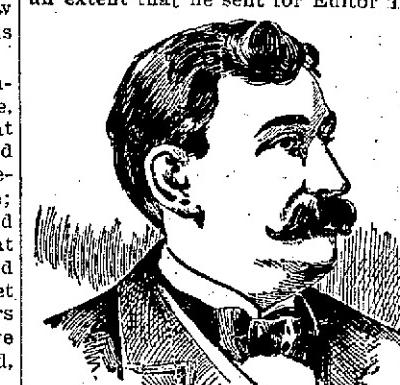


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If you want your clothes clean and bleached white, use Maple City Self-Washing soap.

Swiss Ex-President Dead.

Berne, Feb. 25.—M. Emile Welti, ex-president of the Swiss confederation, died Friday. He was born in 1825.

Like Her Mother.

"We expect to educate Mabel very highly," said a clever matron recently to a visitor. "But I don't want to be educated," came the unexpected voice of Miss Mabel, a tot of 4, from an adjoining room. "I wants to be jess like my mamma is."

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Hat and Neckwear Sale

AT THE
NEW YORK CLOTHING STORE.
TODAY AND SATURDAY.

A large line of . . .

Men's and Boys' Spring Suits

Just received. The latest novelties in Spring Overcoats. The Herringbone are the newest things in Spring Overcoats and we have them. Our prices are right. We don't figure on large profits. See our Silk Neckwear that we sell for 10c.

151 W. Milwaukee St.

JOHN WEISEND.

Corner S. Jackson.

THE TIME IS GROWING SHORT.

Great Removal Sale Ends Next Week... March 1st. . .

We have sold great quantities of goods during the past few weeks, prior to our change of business quarters. People have secured bargains of the right sort. Purchasers have bought spring needs at a much less figure than they could at any other time. Buggies have sold remarkably well and there are still plenty for everybody.

We have one light half plattform spring Delivery Wagon with side wings, at a bargain.

One light three-spring Delivery Wagon with wings, at a bargain.

One DeKalb double deck, short turn Delivery Wagon, at a bargain.

Two Concord Buggies at bargain prices.

Four Road Wagons, bargains.

Four Top Buggies, bargains.

Surreys, Open Rigs, Farm Machinery, Harness, Robes, Blankets, Whips, etc., at closing out prices.

Rochester Radiat- ors.

SENATE TAKES A HINT.

Illinois Upper House Must Pass the

Allen Bill.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 25.—Nearly two score of the house members are banded together to stop all bills which may come over from the senate until the Allen bill, which repeals the Allen law, is passed by the senate.

This word was carried to the senatorial managers, who retorted that such action would be entirely unnecessary, for they said that the Allen bill would be shot through the senate next week. Nevertheless the republican and democratic members of the house who are determined to see the Allen bill through the senate have laid out their plans and intend to stand by their scheme.

The action of the senate in adjourning Friday before the Allen bill had a chance to come over from the house aroused some suspicion in the minds of the Allen-bill men, and they say they are only taking necessary precautions in the matter. The program is "no senate bills and no appropriation bills until the senators make good their promise to pass the Allen law repealer."

Scarce a quorum was present when the house met Friday, but Chairman Mueller of the house committee on appropriations presented a bill from that committee which authorizes cities and towns to practice the theory of municipal ownership. This is the bill which authorizes municipalities to purchase and operate electric light and power, gas, water and heat plants. The bill was advanced to second reading.

Mr. Rankin introduced a bill appropriating \$30,000 to pay the expenses of dedicating the monument raised by the state of Illinois on the battlefield of Chickamauga.

THE BULGARIA SAVED.

Long-Missing Steamer Arrives at Ponta del Gada, Azores.

Ponta Del Gada, Azores, Feb. 25.—The long missing steamer Bulgaria of the Hamburg-American line, almost given up for lost, entered this port on Friday morning. All on board were well.

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the Board of Trade to-day:

		Closing	
Articles	High.	Low.	Feb. 24.
Wheat	\$73 3/4	\$72 3/4	\$73 3/4
July	.71 3/4	.70 3/4	.71 3/4
Corn	36 3/4	35 1/2	36 3/4
May	.36 3/4	.35 1/2	.36 3/4
July	.36 3/4	.35 1/2	.36 3/4
Sept.	.37 3/4	.36 3/4	.37 3/4
Oats			
Feb.	27	26 1/2	26 1/2
May	.28	.27 1/2	.28
July	.26	.25 1/2	.26 1/2
Pork	9.67 1/2	9.57 1/2	9.60
May	9.57 1/2	9.60	9.65
July	9.77 1/2	9.62 1/2	9.82 1/2
Sept.	10.00		
Lard			
May	5.47 1/2	5.42 1/2	5.45
July	5.60	5.55	5.57 1/2
Sept.	5.70	5.67 1/2	5.67 1/2
Short Ribs			
May	4.87 1/2	4.85	4.85
July	5.00	4.95	4.97 1/2
Sept.	5.12 1/2	5.10	5.10

Chicago Live Stock Market.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—No gain could be urged in prices for cattle and sheep today, though receipts were of small volume in every branch. Hogs could be sold 50 higher at the start, and late sales were mostly at 10c advance, all finding outlet in good season at that gain.

Receipts were estimated at 2,000 cattle, 17,000 hogs and 5,000 sheep, making 44,106 cattle, 115,082 hogs and 60,058 sheep for the week thus far, against 47,034 cattle, 181,533 hogs and 67,191 sheep for the same time last week and 46,740 cattle, 146,818 hogs and 75,669 sheep for the same period last year. Hogs were all bought up early and the stale stock in other branches was well reduced before the close.

Elected by Indiana Foresters.

Anderson, Ind., Feb. 25.—The state meeting of Indiana Foresters closed Friday. The newly elected officers are: Chief ranger, C. W. Ennis, Union City; vice-chief ranger, J. W. Bailey, Anderson; secretary, W. W. Wilson, Logansport; treasurer, W. L. Autil, Elwood, councilor, J. E. Teagarden, Anderson; auditors, W. P. Gephart, Evansville; B. H. Stiger, Terre Haute. The next meeting will be held at Peru.

Bid for the Big Fight.

New York, Feb. 25.—Chicagoans are after the Fitzsimmons-Jeffries fight Friday. Dave Holland, who has been selected to accept bids for the contest, received the largest offer so far made for the fight. It was from Chicago and named an opening price of \$21,000, with additional provisions that the expenses of principals and trainers will be paid to the battleground.

Cattle Dealer Falls.

Anderson, Ind., Feb. 25.—Asa Lyons, who has been conducting a butcher shop for nearly a year, Friday employed an attorney to file proceedings in bankruptcy. He says that he is indebted \$218,000, his principal creditors being located in Chicago, Omaha, Cincinnati, Austin, Fort Worth, Kansas City, Indianapolis, Lafayette, Winchester, Muncie and this city.

Another Plant Absorbed.

Anderson, Ind., Feb. 25.—The American Steel and Wire company announces that it has absorbed the anti-trust plant at Crawfordsville, and will at once move it to this city and consolidate it with the big plant here. It also says that other plants in Indiana, Ohio, Illinois and Kentucky will be absorbed and moved here.

Call to Reach an Agreement. Columbus, O., Feb. 25.—The conference held here Friday between the Ohio miners and operators developed serious differences. The operators of this state, not having been a party to the interstate agreement at Pittsburgh, demanded a settlement with the Ohio miners on the run-of-mine basis in the Pittsburgh district, which is 42 2-3 cents per ton. The miners insist on the price under the Chicago agreement, which would be 47 1/2 cents per ton. Neither side has yet shown a disposition to yield.

No Issue of Bonds to Be Made.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Secretary Gage said Friday that there was no truth whatever in the published statement that another bond issue was in contemplation. He pointed out that there is now an available cash balance in the treasury of over \$271,000,000, and although the expenditures are now and for some time are expected to be in excess of the receipts, the treasury situation is not such as to warrant apprehension for the near future.

Grand Jury Indicts 140 Miners. Shelbyville, Ill., Feb. 25.—Shelby county grand jury indicted 140 union miners, who, Sept. 30 last, to escape Christian county officers, crossed the line into Shelby county and held up a train load of colored miners on the way to take strikers' places in Pana mines. The offense is called "obstructing the business of a railroad."

Many Deaths from Influenza.

Stockholm, Feb. 25.—An epidemic of influenza is raging here and at Christiania. Last week there were 2,913 cases here and 197 deaths. At Christiania there were 2,291 cases and 189 deaths.

Willowdale.

Willowdale, Feb. 24.—Mr. H. Worthington, of Nebraska, visited relatives in this vicinity last week. J. T. Mooney and G. N. Goldsmith delivered their tobacco in Edgerton last Saturday. Little Marian Ryan has been on the sick list, but is improving. Dick Brinkman, of Afton, is attending to the creamery in the absence of his brother, Eller, who is in Chicago on business. Frank Hatton had the misfortune of finding one of his valuable colts dead in the barn, Tuesday morning. Peter Mooney delivered his tobacco in Janesville last Monday. Ethel Goldsmith has been spending a few days with her cousin, Alta Goldsmith, in the town of Center. Mrs. James Connell was called to Burr Oak last Wednesday by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Kealy. Miss Helen Poppl is visiting relatives in Brodhead. Owing to the inclemency of the weather, our schoolhouse flag was not hoisted on Washington's birthday. Supt. Throne visited our school one day last week. The buzz of Ad. Brown's saw has been heard in the vicinity of a great many wood piles the last week. A pleasant time is reported by those who attended the valentine party at Adam Korn's last Friday evening. Aggie Lieu has been visiting relatives in Beloit the past week. Messrs. Harry and Charles Fitch were visitors at the Willowdale school last Wednesday. The well drillers are now at George Goldsmith's. Papers are out for the purpose of taking up a collection to help pay for an artificial limb for T. Helgeson. Quite a sum has already been taken up. We understand that Mr. Helgeson is to have an auction March 9. He intends to move to the city.

Notice of Public Teachers' Examinations.

In compliance with law, the First superintendent's district of Rock county is divided into three inspecting districts. The First includes the towns of Avon, Newark, Spring Valley and Plymouth. The Second includes the towns of Center, Janesville and Fulton, and the city of Edgerton. The Third includes the towns of Mineralia, Porter and Union, and the city of Evansville.

Examinations will be held in the First inspection district at Oxfordville, March 3rd and 4th. In the Second, at Fulton, March 17th and 18th. In the Third at Evansville, April 7th and 8th.

Work will begin at 9 o'clock the first day at each place, and close at 5:30; and at 8 o'clock the second day at each place and close at 4:30.

Writing paper will be furnished by the county superintendent.

Questions will be based on the Manual of the Course of Study for Country Schools. Persons not familiar with it, would best not write. Respectfully,

Wm. M. Ross.
Footville, Wis., Feb. 3, 1899.

To make room For spring Stock. :::::

After-Effects of the GRIP

Grip is a treacherous disease. You think it is cured and the slightest cold brings on a relapse.

Its victims are always left in a weakened condition—blood impure and impoverished; nerves shattered. Pneumonia, heart disease and nervous prostration are often the result.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People will drive every trace of the poisonous germs from the system, build up and enrich the blood and strengthen the nerves. A trial will prove this. Read the evidence:

When the grip last visited this section Herman H. Eyer, of 511 W. Main St., Jefferson, Mo., a well known contractor and builder, was one of the victims, and he has since been troubled with the after-effects of the disease. A year ago his health began to fail and he was obliged to discontinue work. That he lives to-day is almost a miracle. He says:

"I was troubled with shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart and a general debility. My back also pained me severely."

"I tried one doctor after another and numerous remedies suggested by my friends, but without apparent benefit, and began to give up hope. Then I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People extolled in a St. Louis paper and after investigation, decided to give them a trial.

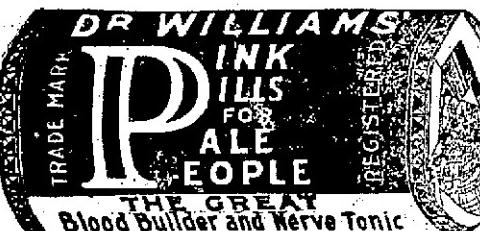
"After using the first box I felt wonderfully relieved and was satisfied that the pills were putting me on the road to recovery. I bought two more boxes and continued taking them."

"After taking four boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People I am restored to good health. I feel like a new man, and having the will and energy of my former days returned, I am capable of transacting my business with increased ambition."

"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are a wonderful medicine and anyone suffering from the after-effects of the grip will find that these pills are the specific."

Mr. Eyer will gladly answer any inquiry regarding this if stamp is enclosed.

From Cole County Democrat, Jefferson City, Mo.



Look for the full name on the package. At druggists, or direct from the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N.Y., 50¢ per box; 6 boxes \$2.50.

HEAVY WEIGHT SUITS MUST GO

To make room For spring Stock. :::::

We place on sale today several lines of good, heavy Cassimere Suits, which we do not want to carry over until next season. In order to make them go now we make the surprisingly low price of

\$3.50 per suit.

Good assortment in fancy cheviot and blacks. Not a suit worth less than \$8.00 and some worth \$10.00.

This special sale for two days only. . .

Saturday and . . .

Monday. . .

T. J. ZIEGLER.
E. J. SMITH, Manager.
Main and Milwaukee Streets.

Closing Out Sale....

Fleisher's German Knitting Yarns, best in the world, all colors; closing price,

19c skein

Gents' Random Wool Shirts and Drawers, 50c value, for

38 cents

Capes and Jackets Half Price

\$22 Plush Cape at
\$11.00

\$7.00 Jackets for...

\$3.50

All others same proportion.

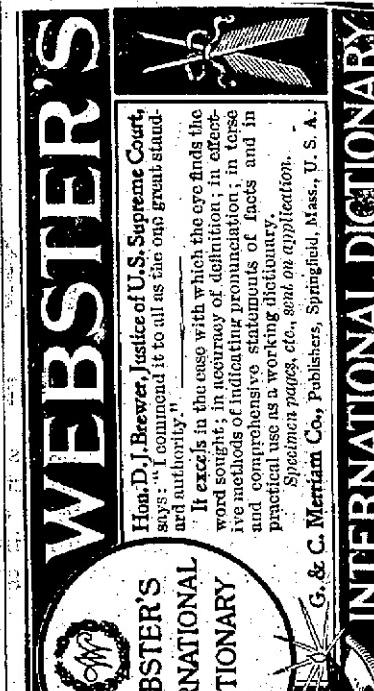
43 cents

Boys Gents' Umbrellas.

Laces and Embroideries...
At the same prices that other stores buy them for

H. HOFFMASTER & SON.

John Cunningham, attorney.



John Cunningham, Attorney.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county, at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said County, on the third Tuesday being the 1st day of March, 1899, at 9 o'clock a.m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of H. Vining Clark for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Ezra Crandall, late of the town of Milton, in said county, deceased.

Dated, February 24, 1899.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE,
County Judge.

John Cunningham, Attorney.

Subscribed and sworn to this day.

John Cunningham, Attorney.

A LIST OF MONEY SAVERS.

We are cleaning out every line of goods in our stock where the packages are soiled or slightly damaged in appearance. Prices are reduced to cost and less on them all to hurry the good work along. We have sold great quantities of these goods and will keep our bargain counter filled as long as this class of stock lasts. The qualities of the goods, remember, are just as good as the best; it is merely the appearance of the package that leads us to cut prices.

LOOK THIS LIST OVER CAREFULLY--THERE IS MONEY IN IT.

Glass jar of fancy California Peaches, never sold for less than 40 cents; sale price,

25c

Imported French Cherries, quart botties; old price, 50c; now

25c

Large cans Richelieu Mince Meat, regularly 25c; this sale,

15c

Choicest, pure selected goods, the finest on the market.

California Quince put up by the Golden Gate Packing Co., of San Jose, Cal.; was 15c can, now

10c

Heinz cauliflower in glass bottles, regular price, 25c, sale price,

15c

English imported Mixed Pickles, pint bottles, regularly 35c; sale price

15c

Pure white clover strained Honey in pint fruit cans, per can

20c

Little Neck Clams, regular price, 10c a can; sale price,

8c

Ceylon Tea known as Star of India; regular price, 38 cents per half lb. can; sale price per half lb can

30c

Russian canned Sweet Peas, regular price 18c; sales price, 15c for

25c

Monarch brand French Sifted Early June Peas, finest goods on the market, regular price 50c; sale price,

15c

Monarch canned Crab apples, put up in pure granulated syrup, regular price, 20c; sale price,

10c

Imported Dutch cocoa direct from Amsterdam; equal to Van Houten's, in $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. cans, 15c; $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. cans 25c; 1 lb. can

50c

Worth from 1-3 to 1-2 more

Sweet Dutch cocoa, very fancy, one-half pound can,

20c

Armour's Pork and Beans in Tomato Sauce, 10c can; 3 for

25c

Heinz India Relish, sale price,

25c

Pie Pumpkin, per can,

5c

Big jug of Mustard,

8c

California Navel Oranges, seedless, delicious sweet fruit. We consider them a special bargain; we are limited to a few boxes; they are the regular 20c variety. Special price, per dozen,

15c

Heinz Mince Meat, the finest, purest Mince Meat on the market, the regular prices have been 25 and 35c per can; we make a special price of

15 & 25c

Sardines in Tomato Sauce per can,

5c

We have a Soap bargain that will interest you. We were lucky in securing through a bankrupt stock a limited quantity of VIKING Laundry Soap, equal to any Soap on the market, and are offering it 12 bars for 25c. When this lot is gone we can not get more, so we advise you to buy now.

Hustling Grocers.

C. A. SANBORN & CO.

W. Milwaukee St.

Little Prices
On School
Supplies....

We have many calls from the little folks for school goods. The small prices and good qualities bring them back, with their friends.

A large ruled Tablet for..... 1c
A dozen colored Pencils..... 1c
Full Steel Pens..... 1c
Excellent Slate Pencils, 2 for..... 1c
A handy Pencil Box, containing rule, pen and holder, slate pencil, crayon, etc., with lock and key, nicely painted..... 10c

A small house Sprinkling can, nice for flowers, assorted colors..... 10c

Nice line Jardinières, upward from..... 10c

New lot of Crepe Paper just received for..... 10c

all work, etc., in shades..... 10c to 100c

Turkey red Bandana handkerchief, large, est size..... 10c

Metal folded Lunch Box..... 5c

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New things in Crockery are coming daily. We have some beautiful imported Dinner Sets on the way.

R. E. WINBIGLER & CO.
SAVINGS STORE:

Next Skelly & Wilbur's S. Jackson St.

CUT RATE DENTAL PARLORS

Save pain and money. Teeth extracted without pain or danger by application to the gums. Do these prices interest you?

Set of teeth..... \$5.00

Best set teeth S. S. W. \$8.00

Gold crowns..... \$4.50

Gold fillings..... \$10.00 Up

Alloy fillings..... 50c to 75c

Bridge work per tooth..... \$4.50

Teething teeth..... 60c

NO PLATES REQUIRED

All work done by dentist of fifteen years' experience, Open evenings,

HAYES, The Dentist.

Over Rehberg's Shoe Store, on the bridge

To the Public:

I have opened up a merchant tailor shop at 17 S. Main street, where I will be pleased to see all my friends. I guarantee a fit and the best of work.

Prices right.

HERMAN ZANDER.
With Janesville Clothing Co. S. Main St.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

THIRD ANNUAL

Lace Curtain and Drapery Sale

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, March 1, 2, and 3.

Each year on the dates of the Mid-winter Fair, we have offered an extraordinary bargain from some one department. This year our Lace curtain and Drapery stock is the largest and most complete in our history. For the purpose of making you better acquainted with this department, and in order to keep prominently before you, we shall on these three days institute one of our great cut-price sales.

LACE CURTAINS.

Lace curtains worth.....	\$.85 at \$.67	Lace curtains, worth.....	4.00 at 3.25
Lace curtains worth.....	1.25 at .89	Lace curtains, worth.....	5.00 at 4.15
Lace curtains worth.....	1.50 at 1.10	Lace curtains, worth.....	6.00 at 4.60
Lace curtains worth.....	1.75 at 1.35	Lace curtains, worth.....	7.00 at 5.65
Lace curtains, worth.....	2.25 at 1.80	Lace curtains, worth.....	10.00 at 8.25
Lace curtains, worth.....	3.00 at 2.25	Lace curtains, worth.....	12.00 at 9.25
Lace curtains, worth.....	3.50 at 2.75		

DERBY, TAPESTRY, CHENILLE AND ROPE CURTAINS

Worth.....	\$ 8.00 at \$ 2.45	Worth.....	7.00 at 5.55
Worth.....	3.50 at 2.65	Worth.....	7.50 at 5.85
Worth.....	4.00 at 3.25	Worth.....	9.00 at 7.55
Worth.....	5.00 at 3.65	Worth.....	10.00 at 8.25
Worth.....	6.00 at 4.55	Worth.....	12.00 at 9.25

WE HAVE ABOUT

30 Remnants In Lace Curtains

consisting of one, two and three curtains of a kind, that we will sell at one-half the regular price during this sale.

100 Pieces of Lace Curtains, About Two Yards Long

used by travelers to show the patterns of the curtain; many of them three to five of the same pattern, can be used for sash curtains and many other purposes. We will let them go at 19 cents each, and our word for it they will not last long at this price.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

A Seasonable Symptom -

now is cold feet, which, resulting in later developments, makes much trouble and expense. Clothe your feet in what is especially made for this blizzardy weather.

A Few More of Our Cold Feet Moderating Prices -



Any man's \$5.00 Shoe in enamel, tan or vici kid, all winter styles.

\$3.50.

We have in women's Shoes a few broken lines in our heavy soles that we will close out at

\$2 and \$2.50.

SPENCER.

"The Newest." On the Bridge.
Watch our ads during our winter season sales.